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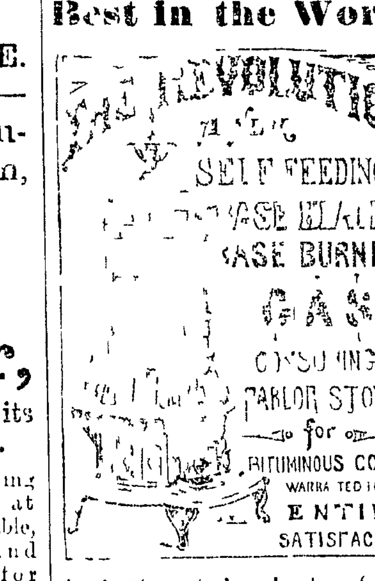

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TAX NOTICE!

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the real estate and personal property tax list ... is now in my hands ... Prompt payment is expected, as time will not permit delay this year. Office in the old place—City Registers Office, Council Rooms building.

H. H. BROWN, Collector.
Decatur Jan 1, 1875 d3w

$350 A MONTH. Agents wanted. Ten best selling articles in the world. Sample free. Address J. BRONSON, Detroit, Mich. 13 dcod 1w

REDEMPTION NOTICES.

To F A Hickox, or whom it may concern
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois on the 16th day of June, A D 1873, for the taxes for the year 1872 I purchased the following described tract of land, to-wit Lot 12 west half southwest qr section 11, township 16 range 2 east of the third principal meridian, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 16th day of June, A. D 1875
Feb 3 d3w M. P. MURPHEY.

To Cain Adams or whom it may concern
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law in the county of Macon and State of Illinois on the 16th day of June, A D. 1873, for the taxes for the year 1872, I purchased the following described lot, to wit Lot 4, block 3, Packard's Addition to Decatur and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 16th day of June A D 1875 M P MURPHEY.
Feb 3 d3w

To Wm Porter, or whom it may concern
You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state county and special taxes made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois on the 16th day of June A D 1873 for the taxes for the year 1872 I purchased the following described lot to wit Lot 5 block 6 H Robinson's Addition to Decatur and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 16th day of June A D 1875 M P MURPHEY
Feb 3 d3w

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Sometimes many of these symptoms attend the disease at others very few, but the LIVER, the largest organ in the body is generally the seat of the disease and if not Regulated in time great suffering, wretchedness and DEATH will ensue.

For DYSPEPSIA, CONSTIPATION, Jaundice, Bilious attacks SICK HEADACHE, Colic, Depression of Spirits SOUR STOMACH Heart Burn etc, etc.

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I BEG LEAVE TO INFORM THE PUBLIC that I have on hand a limited supply of

Pure Crystal Ice,

Which I will deliver in any quantities, to suit purchasers and at prices to suit the times.
I do not propose to run out of ice and leave my customers to ... but will supply them the season through.
Business is what I want.
... respectfully yours
JOHN ...
Je 19 d3m

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

The co-partnership heretofore existing between Michael Dempsey and John Fitzgerald under the firm name of Dempsey & Fitzgerald, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.
MICHAEL DEMPSEY,
JOHN FITZGERALD.
Decatur Feb 1 1875

The undersigned will continue the marble and stone business in all its branches at the same stand occupied by the late firm east of Whitehouse's meat market north of the park. Thankful for past patronage a continuance of the same is respectfully solicited.
MICHAEL DEMPSEY
February 1 1875 d dwtf

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From West, St Louis, Pekin, I B & W, and I & I C	11 15	A. M.
" East	12 15	P. M.
" South, Paris, & East of Lafayette	6 00	A. M.
" North,	8.00	"

MAILS CLOSE

For Paris	8 00	A. M
" East,	10 45	"
" West, and St. Louis	11 30	"
" Pekin, and I & I C	12 00	M
" Chicago and I B & W	2 45	P. M
" South	7 00	"
" North & East of Lafayette	7 30	"

R P LYLE Postmaster.

JUSUS WEPT

BY MARY E GILMAN

Jesus wept!—O sacred tears,
Glistening through the mist of years
Not for those whom we call dead
Were those holy tear drops shed
Not for those who're passed away
To the realms of cloudless day

But for us who linger here,
Bending o'er a pall clad bier
For the lone to watch and wait
By the hearthstone desolate
For the feet that never will come
Tho the weary day be done

Jesus wept!—The Lord of glory
He the undefiled the holy,
Marked our sorrows doubts and fears,
Passing through this vale of tears
Where each human heart must know
All the bitterness of woe

Sacred chrism! thus consecrate
For the sad and desolate
For the sister brotherless
For the child all motherless
Many a grief hath calmer slept
Since the son of Mary wept

Oh ye tears! no jewels rare
Resting on a brow most fair
Not the lustrous orient gem
In a monarch's diadem
Shall teach patience, bitterness keep
When the eye hath learned to weep

Backward through the ages past
Many a longing look is cast,
To the spot where Lazarus slept,
Where the Son of Glory wept
There would I submissive bend
Find a sympathizing friend

Sacred be that holy shrine,
Hoary with the touch of time
Many a pilgrim there shall rest
With his cross hid in his breast,
Reverent bow and kiss the sod,
Melted by the tears of God
The Alliance

BAGGAGE SMASHING AT OMAHA.

Hon S D Hastings, of Wisconsin, writes to the Madison *Journal* thus From Sioux City I went to Omaha, where we took passage on the Pacific railroad. Here I was subjected to one of those annoyances of which travelers so often complain—*abuse of baggage.* Omaha has a bad reputation as a place where baggage is especially liable to abuse, and I became satisfied that it has fully earned its bad reputation.

When I was in London in 1873, I thought I would try and get a trunk that would be proof against ordinary baggage-smashers, and so I went with a friend to one of the best trunk makers in that great city and had a trunk made to order of the best quality solid leather with extra strong iron frame. This was the trunk I started from Madison with, the trunk having been very little used, and being in perfect order. When I found it in the baggage room in Omaha it required to be tied up with ropes to prevent the contents from falling out. And there was a man on hand—one of the employes of the road with a rope in hand, all ready to tie it up—for fifty cents.

It was fortunate for me that I am not accustomed to swear, for if I had been, I might have been tempted to express myself in a way to have done justice to the occasion, I should without doubt have failed. As it was, I quietly paid the fifty cents, and felt thankful that the contents of the trunk had not been stolen. I have my suspicions that it is made a regular business at that depot to smash the baggage for the purpose of getting large pay for tying and nailing it up, as the man who did this work seemed to have constant employment. Cannot the railroad be induced to correct such an outrageous abuse?

Thomas Jefferson's own copy of his 'Note on the State of Virginia, London, 1787,' which was annotated by his own hands, and contained other manuscript additions, was recently sold at Chicago for $100.

According to the first returns the Universalists have 657 ministers, 14 associations 954 parishes 633 church organization, 751 church edifices, and a total valuation of church property amounting to $7 ...

A portion of the centennial at a Historical Concert in Boston consisted of old music performed on an antiquated spinnet and on a harpsichord, the two instruments which supplied the place of a piano for our great grandmothers.

Considerable alarm has been created by the prevalence of typhoid fever, and by the death in succession of three officers of the Grenadier Guards now quartered in the Beggars' Bush Barracks in Dublin, and the serious illness of a fourth.

In a gentleman's house in Hartford, Conn., there is now lying very sick an old servant woman, 60 years of age, who has worked all her life for $1 a week and her board, and her savings, put into the bank, to amount now between $6,000 and $7,000.

Dissolution Notice.

THE co-partnership heretofore existing between D. M Barnett and George W Waggoner, under the firm name of BARNETT & WAGGONER, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 2d inst.
D M BARNETT
GEO. W WAGGONER

The undersigned having associated with himself E. A. McKENZIE, will, under the firm name of BARNETT & CO., continue the grocery business in all its branches, at the same store occupied by the late firm—Grateful for the liberal patronage bestowed upon the old firm, we respectfully solicit a continuance of the same. All persons indebted to the firm of Barnett & Waggoner, will please settle as soon as convenient.
Feb 9 1875 d3t D. M BARNETT.

A NEW IDEA.

70 Cts,

sent to the NEW YORK & ORIENTAL TEA COMPANY will insure by return mail, one pound of excellent Oolong, Young Hyson English Breakfast, Japan or Mixed Tea such as is usually retailed at $1 30 to $1 50 per pound.

IT IS A FACT NOT GENERALLY KNOWN that by a recent arrangement of the Post Office, small quantities of merchandise are now conveyed at charges considerably less than those of the express companies. The cost on one pound of tea being 8 cents only.

The New York and Oriental Tea Company is taking advantage of THIS EXTRAORDINARY FACILITY and is supplying its customers in all parts of the United States with the finest teas ever imported at

WHOLESALE PRICES.

REASONS WHY you should order your teas from the New York and Oriental Tea Company.

1st. Because the Company deals only in PURE UNADULTERATED TEA. It is well known that immense quantities of so-called 'Tea' adulterated with the leaves of the Willow, Hawthorn and other trees and even small stones, particles of lead and steel filings, besides coloring matter, are sent over the country and sold at enormous prices as 'Tea.'

The buyers of the New York and Oriental Tea Company, can by a NEW PROCESS not generally known detect the presence of adulteration in all its forms, and the Company will continue to maintain the high character it has hitherto sustained by selling none but

GENUINE TEA.

2d. Because our company lot of capital enables us TO IMPORT LARGELY FOR CASH, and thus to sell cheap. We buy all our Teas at the ports of China and Japan and this gives us many intermediate profits in charges.

3d. Because we have brought out a NEW SYSTEM OF BUSINESS, originated by NEW IDEA.

We save the profits of the middlemen and give them to our customers by sending direct to any address the finest qualities of Tea at Wholesale Prices.

4th. Because as the

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is PURE TEA AT A LOW PRICE, and we are determined to SUPPLY THIS NEED. It is to your interest to help us by sending us your orders at once.

See our price list.

Oolong (Black) 40, 50, 60, best 70 cts per pound

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Young Hyson (Green) 50 60, 70 best $1 00 per pound

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P. S. We have a special quantity of very fine Oolong and Young Hyson at $1 25 per pound.

Any of these qualities delivered free by mail, and safe delivery guaranteed on receipt of price.

PLEASE NOTE—We deal in nothing that is UNSOUND, INJURED, DAMAGED, OR ADULTERATED IN ANY RESPECT even the lowest qualities in the above list, are perfect in their degree, clean, pure, and uninjured in every particular.

WE WANT ACTIVE AND RELIABLE AGENTS EVERYWHERE, to whom special inducements are offered. The business is honorable and respectable. Young and Old, Rich and Poor, Male and Female, can get up clubs and act as Agents. Send for circular and begin at once.

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NEW YORK & ORIENTAL TEA CO.,
38 Vesey Street, New York.
Feb 2 1875 d&wlm

MASTER'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF THE JOINT DECREE of the Circuit Court of the United States for the District of Indiana, and of the Circuit Court of the United States for the Southern District of Illinois, made in the suit of the Union Trust Company of New York against the Indiana and Illinois Central Railway Company, in execution of the trust deed made by the defendant corporation to the complainant of date the 1st July, 1871. I will, on the

THE 26th DAY OF APRIL, 1875,

at the door of the court room of the United States Courts, in the Government building in the city of Indianapolis and State of Indiana and between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon and 4 o'clock of the afternoon offer for sale to the highest bidder all and singular the railroad of the said Indiana and Illinois Central Railway Company, as the same is and shall hereafter be constructed, extending from the city of Indianapolis in the State of Indiana to the city of Decatur, in the State of Illinois a distance of one hundred and fifty one miles, together with all lands, tenements and hereditaments acquired or to be acquired for the rights of way for the said railroad and all the appurtenances thereto belonging and also, all lands acquired or appropriated for depots, superstructures, buildings, erections and fixtures on the said line of railway and all tracks bridges viaducts culverts fences and all houses buildings and superstructures thereon or appertaining thereto, and all other property real or personal now owned or to be acquired by said railway company for the construction, operation or management of said railroad including all locomotives, tenders, cars and other rolling stock and equipments machinery tools materials and all and singular the other personal property of every nature kind and description whatever belonging to the said railway company and also all the franchises, powers, rights and privileges now owned possessed or hereafter acquired for the construction maintenance and operation of its said railroad.

These I will sell for cash in hand provided that ... the ... of said ... in ... half of himself and all other bondholders ... said railway company I am instructed by the terms of said decrees ... to accept in ... payment of my sum bid, and for the purchase money (except as to the cost and expenses of sale all of which must be paid in cash) the ... and ... delivery of the mortgage bonds of said Indiana and Illinois Central Railway Company, issued under the mortgage foreclosed in said decrees, together with the accompanying coupons in proportion on the said bid as the sum due on such surrendered bonds and coupons bears to the whole sum due upon the whole issue of said bonds and coupons, and for the pro rata in cash required to satisfy the holders of bonds and coupons not so surrendered in payment of such bid and until the same shall be adjusted and determined I am authorized to receive the bond of the buyer in such penalty and with such sureties as may be adequate, conditioned that such sum be paid promptly into the registry of the Circuit Court of the United States for the District of Indiana.

J. D. HOWLAND,
Master in Chancery.
McDONALD & BUTLER, Sol'rs of Compl'nt
INDIANAPOLIS, February 7th, 1875
Feb8-d10w

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ON AND AFTER MONDAY, AUG. 17, '74, trains will depart from and arrive at Decatur, daily, except Sunday, as follows:

GOING EAST.

Freight and Accommodation	7 00 a m
Passenger	1,00 p m

ARRIVE AT DECATUR.

Passenger	11,30 a m
Freight and Accommodation	5,45 p m

H. C. MOORE,
Gen'l Sup't, Tuscola
C. V LEWIS,
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S. NEWELL,
Agent, Decatur

Illinois Central R. R.

Trains Leave Decatur.

GOING NORTH.

Passenger	4 55 A M	Sundays excepted
Freight.	9 50 A M	" "
	3 25 P M	Sundays "
" & accom	4 25 P M	" "

GOING SOUTH

Passenger	8 20 P M	Sundays excepted
Freight	9 50 A M	" "
" & accom	2 07 P M	" "
"	3 15 P M	" "

All trains carry passengers
A. MITCHELL, Gen'l Supt, Chicago
J C CLARK Gen'l Manager,
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C O JUDSON, Agent

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The public are respectfully reminded that the Toledo, Wabash & Western Railway is the only line running Fast Trains through to New York, Boston and other Eastern Cities, and St Louis, Quincy and other Western Cities enabling travelers to reach their destination from six to seven hours in advance of all other Lines.

Close Connection is also made at Danville Junction for Indianapolis, Cincinnati and Louisville. Pullman Sleeping Cars are run between St Louis and Cleveland, and Quincy and Toledo, without change.

Trains depart from Decatur, as follows

MAIN LINE:

GOING WEST.

No 1 Through Express	3 20 a m
" 3 Fast Express	12 35 p m
" 11 Accommodation	3 10 p m
" 5 "	9 15 p m

GOING EAST.

No 2 Lightning Express	11 20 p m
" 4 Atlantic "	12 20 p m
" 12 Accommodation	7 45 p m
" 6 "	9 00 a m

PEKIN DIVISION:

DEPART.

No 1 Accommodation	6 05 a m
" 3 Mail	1 30 p m

ARRIVE

No 2 Accommodation	9 00 p m
" 4 Mail	11 15 a m

ST. LOUIS DIVISION:

DEPART

No 1 Through Express	3 25 a m
" 3 Fast Express	12 35 p m
" 9 Accommodation	12 30 a m
" 5 "	6 00 a m

ARRIVE

No. 2 Lightning Express	11 10 p m
" 4 Atlantic "	12 10 p m
" 10 Accommodation	4 25 a m
" 6 "	6 15 p m

R ANDREWS, Sup't.
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THROUGH TIME BY THE

I. B. & W. ROUTE.

EASTWARD.

STATIONS	No 2	No. 4	No 6
Lv Decatur			2 30 p m
Ar Monticello			4 45 "
" Champaign			6 10 "
" Chicago			7 30 a m
Lv Champaign	5 15 a m	1 05 p m	11 10 p m
Ar Danville	6 50 a m	2 50 p m	1 50 a m
T. W. & W R R			
Lv Decatur		12 15 p m	11 30 p m
" Tolono		1 35 p m	12 45 a m
Ar Danville		2 55 p m	2 0 a m
I. B & W R R			
Lv Danville	7 10 a m	3 00 p m	2 0 a m
Ar Indianapolis	11 20 a m	6 15 p m	6 50 a m
Cincinnati		10 55 p m	12 1 p m
Dayton		11 55 p m	2 1 p m
Columbus	11 55 p m	3 05 a m	6 0 p m
Zanesville	2 57 a m		
Wheeling	8 00 a m		
Washington	9 10 p m	8 50 p m	12 4 p m
Baltimore.	7 35 p m	10 20 p m	1 5 p m
Pittsburg	7 25 a m	12 20 p m	2 2 a m
Harrisburg	3 15 p m	11 05 p m	12 0 p m
Philadelphia	7 30 p m	3 10 a m	4 1 p m
New York	10 30 p m	6 50 a m	7 3 p m
Crestline		4 20 a m	
Cleveland		7 10 a m	
Buffalo		1 10 p m	
Boston		10 00 a m	
Louisville		12 night	11 p m
Nashville		8 30 a m	

No 6 via T., W & W Ry, will leave Decatur daily except Saturday. All other trains daily except Sunday.
Pullman Palace Drawing Room and Sleeping Cars run on No 6 from Champaign and Danville to Indianapolis.
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For *through tickets* and further information, address
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From Indianapolis and Terre Haute

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Day Express	4 ... p m
Accommodation	11 0 p m

For Terre Haute and Indianapolis

DEPART

Atlantic Express	9 0 a m
N. Y. Fast Line	8 ... p m

From Peoria

ARRIVE

Atlantic Express	9 10 a m
N. Y. Fast Line	... p m

For Peoria

DEPART.

Accommodation	... a m
Day Express	1 0 p m

C. T. TOLLETT, Gen Ticket Ag't
H. W. HIBBARD, Gen Freight Ag't,
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TERRE HAUTE, - - - INDIANA
C H BROWN, Local Frt & Tkt Ag't, Decatur Ills
Feb 9, 1875

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For Rats, Mice, Roaches, Ants, Bed-Bugs, Moths, &c,

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Solicitors of Collections, Bankruptcy and War Claims. Office, over Busher's shoe store, East Main street, Decatur, Ill. Special attention given to Bankruptcy and general collecting business.
Jan. 7, 1875—d&wtf.

W. T. CUSSINS,

ATTORNEY AT LAW and GENERAL COLLECTING AGENT. Office—Room 5, Powers' Block. *Prompt attention to business.*

D. L. BUNN,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

OFFICE—Over Ludden & Co's Dry Goods Store East Main street [feb.8-'71

St. Nicholas Hotel,

N. LAUX & BRO., PROPRIETORS South side Old Square, Decatur Illinois *Bus to and from the cars.* aug1-tf

Dr. J. KING, M. D.,

HAS RESUMED THE PRACTICE of medicine. Office—Over Busher's shoe store

Dr. A. S. Waltz,

DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office, over Barber & Co's shoe store, East Main street.
June 18, 1873—d3mos*

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hildebrandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill.
April 13, 1873-dwtf.

H. L ODOR. E. R. ELDRIDGE.

ODOR & ELDRIDGE,

ATTORNEYS at LAW

OFFICE —Over Newell & Hammer's grocery store [july 3, 1874-dly

EDWIN PARK,

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:
Monday Evening, Feb. 15.

NAST has a laughable picture in the current number of *Harper's Weekly*. It represents Andy Johnson with a copy of the constitution under his arm and a small American flag approaching the door of the Senate chamber, where he is met by Nast himself, who is making a most profound obeisance. Andy's chin is elevated at an angle of about forty-five degrees, and his nose—that wonderful nose that Nast has caricatured so often—expresses the utmost disdain towards the artist. Beneath the picture is the motto—"The whirligig of time. Here we are again!"

THE announcement by Governor Beveridge that the legal authorities of Williamson county are powerless to repress crime and to bring the offenders to justice will be felt to be a disgrace by the people of that county. The spectacle of lawlessness presented to the world by this condition of affairs is enough to make a community of honest citizens blush. We trust, therefore, that the $10,000 which his Excellency desires to have placed at his disposal to restore peace and order to the afflicted section will pass the Senate, as it has the House, and in spite of an almost solid Democratic opposition. It is a significant fact that this party every where espouses the side of those who defy the law; and well may, therefore, one of themselves, the member from Williamson county, confess to feeling humiliated that "the Republicans were the only ones upon the floor who seemed to favor law and order." But it is the same everywhere. Republicanism means the supremacy of the law and protection for all, Democracy means violence and the oppression of the weak.

THE defense in the Beecher case succeeded on Tuesday last in extorting from Tilton the admission that he was himself the first to publish his wife's shame. Tilton has heretofore contended that all his interviews with Moulton were for the purpose of keeping the secret covered up and protecting his wife and children. On Tuesday he testified that Mr. Woodhull obtained the facts which she made public, not from himself, not from Beecher, but "through the open gate of the lips of Mrs. Nathan B. Morse," his wife's mother, and that the latter knew what had transpired confidentially between himself, Beecher and Moulton, "because I told her and she told all the world." Here we have the singular spectacle of a man who has been pretending that he labored for several years to shield his wife's reputation, and who says he threatened to shoot Beecher if he should by resigning his pastorate expose his terrible secret, calmly testifying that he himself published that secret by telling it to his mother-in-law, knowing when he did so that she would publish it to the world. Whatever sympathy may have been felt for Tilton, will certainly be destroyed by this avowal as devlish as it is unexpected.

THE troubles in Louisiana seemed to be near a settlement a few days ago. The people of the country were led to hope that the stretched agitation would cease by a compromise submitted to the Congressional Committee by a majority of the Democratic members of the General Assembly. The country members, whose interests are suffering from the constant turmoil, made an honest effort to restore peace and order, and by uniting carried the Democratic caucus for the proposition. The members opposing the measure, twenty-seven in number, were mainly from New Orleans, ward bummers, political adventurers, and, of course, most bitter partisans. Headed by the fire-eater Wiltz, and the pretender McEnery, they called public meetings to protest against the compromise and to intimidate the country members. The rural roosters were bullied, badgered, threatened, and at last wheedled into the acceptance of a fresh proposition, which was thereupon adopted in Democratic caucus and handed to Mr. Wheeler, of the Committee of investigation, on the eve of his departure for Washington. This proposition was of such a nature as necessarily prevented its acceptance, and Mr. Wheeler has so stated in a telegram to the Democratic caucus. Thus the situation reverts to its original chaotic status, and we may look for a renewal of confusion and disorder. The revolutionary and turbulent element of the New Orleans population has overawed the country Democrats, and New Orleans is yet, Louisiana

JUSTICE AND EXPEDIENCY.

From the Indianadolis Journal.

The justice of the Civil Rights bill and its expediency are two very different questions. As to its justice there cannot be a particle of doubt in the mind of any man whose judgment and conscience are not distorted by prejudice or swayed by malice. If emancipation was right, the Civil Rights bill is equally so. It is simply the logical conclusion of events and an inevitable corollary from the doctrine of political equality. Narrow-minded, short-sighted, prejudiced men may rebel against it. Democrats may protest, and timid Republicans may deplore, but sooner or later the colored people of this country must come into the full possession and enjoyment of all civil rights, or the government itself will fail. It cannot exist permanently with such a flaw as this in its corner stone.

The expediency of passing the bill at this time is another question. It is thought by some Republicans that its passage will ruin the Republican party and precipitate a war of races in the South. We do not believe it. No party was ever permanently injured by doing right and establishing justice. The arguments now used against the passage of the bill have been used at every stage in the career of the Republican party by those who were opposed to universal suffrage and equal rights. And yet, with each step forward the party has gained new strength and greater moral force. Where justice and right so clearly point the way we doubt whether anything is to be gained by temporizing and delay. The Republican party will never stand quite firm till it has planted itself on the bed-rock. In this line of thought General Garfield said in the House a few days ago:

"I remember well when it was proposed to put arms in the hands of the black man to help us in the field. I remember in the Army of the Cumberland, where there were twenty thousand Union men from Kentucky and Missouri, and we were told that those men would throw down their arms and abandon our cause if we dared to make the negro a soldier. Nevertheless the men, whose love of country was greater than their prejudice against color, stood firm, and fought side by side with the negro to save the Union. When we were abolishing slavery by adopting the thirteenth amendment we were again warned that we were bringing measureless calamity upon the Republic. Did it come? Where are the Cassandras of that day who sang their song of ruin in this hall when we passed that thirteenth amendment? Again, when the fourteenth amendment was passed the same wail was heard, the wail of the fearful and unbelieving. Again, when it was proposed to elevate the negro to citizenship, to give him the ballot as his weapon of self-defense, we were told the cup of our destruction was filled to its brim. But, sir, I have lived long enough to learn that in the long run it is safest for a nation, a political party, or an individual man, to dare to do right; and let consequences take care of themselves; for he that loseth his life for truth's sake shall find it. The recent disasters of the Republican party have not sprung from any of the brave acts done in the effort to do justice to the negro. For these reasons I do not share in the fears we have heard expressed to-day that this bill will bring disaster to those who shall make it a law. What is this bill? It is a declaration that every citizen of the United States shall be entitled to the equal enjoyment of all those public chartered privileges granted under State laws to the citizens of the United States. For this act of plain justice we are told that ruin is again staring us in the face! If ruin comes from this, I welcome ruin.

"Mr. Speaker, the kind of cowardice which shrinks from the assertion of great principles has followed this grand anti-slavery movement from the beginning until now; but God taught us early in this fight that the fate of our own race was indissolubly linked with that of the black man on this continent—not socially, for none of us are linked by social ties except by our own consent, but politically in all the rights accorded under the law."

LOUISIANA and South Carlonia are most frequently cited by the Democrats as evidences of carpet-bag misrule. The debt of the first is $22,308,800, and of the second $20,966,382. These are big figures, but Virginia, which has been under Democratic rule continuously since the war, can show a good deal larger. The debt of Virginia is $45,718,112, most of it contracted since the war, and all of it under Democratic rule. No Democratic newspaper in the United States dare publish these figures.

RAILROAD and other subsidies are in a bad way just at present, at Washington. On Friday the proposition to commit the government to aid in constructing the Portland, Dalles and Salt Lake Railroad, of Oregon, came to a vote in the Senate and was supported by only two Senators. Even Senator Mitchell, of Oregon, who was the special champion of the bill, dodged the vote when his name was called.

A BOY who had served in an Avenue grocery store for two weeks came home highly elated the other night and told his father he had been promoted. "How?" asked the old man. "Why, I've been down cellar all the time sorting over potatoes, and now they've raised me up stairs to pick over beans!"

"I LOVE skating," said Mr. Ward to Miss Dimick, while they were gracefully circling over the silvery surface of the river at Des Moines, "the poetry of motion." "How beautiful," sighed Miss Dimick, and then they both gracefully slid into a hole made by the ice cutters, in water ten feet deep and cold as a rich relation. When they got out, dry clothes was the subject which drove all thoughts of the poetry of motion from their minds.

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P. M.

☞[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

What the House Caucus Agreed on

THE PINCHBACK CASE.

Bessie Turner Again.

Elizabeth Cady Won't Testify

Dull Times in the Legislature.

Cold Weather and Big Fires.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—At a late hour last night and after considerable debate the caucus of Republican members of the House adopted an election bill, which provides substantially as follows: "If two or three more persons shall forcibly overthrow state governments or any of the constituted authorities of the same, or interfere in any forcible or unlawful manner with the due execution of the laws of States or the United States, or conspire for such purpose with the intent to commit a crime, the persons so offending shall be deemed guilty of a felony, and punished by a fine not exceeding $10,000, and imprisonment at hard labor for not exceeding ten years. Two or more persons who shall conspire to usurp or actually overthrow any such government, shall be guilty of a crime and fined not more than $5,000, and imprisoned not more than two years. Any person who shall be found guilty of depriving any citizen of the right to vote shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and fined $500 or $1,000, and imprisoned not more than one year. Registration officers or supervisors who shall refuse to permit citizens to vote or to register, or to allow the sufficient opportunities to register or to obtain proper information, shall be deemed guilty of a crime, and shall suffer a penalty of not more than $5,000 or less than $1,000, and imprisonment six months or two years.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—In accordance with his notice, Senator Morton intends to call up the Pinchback case to-morrow, and it is the intention of those desiring his admission to remain in continuous session until a vote is forced. These believe that one night session will accomplish this result. Some of the Democrats, however, have declared that they will use every means in their power to prevent Pinchback's admission, and that if the Republican strength is concentrated upon the proposition to admit him they will carry the session over rather than allow a vote There are a number of Republicans, however, who do not desire to consume much time on this question at this stage of business, and who favor postponing it for consideration at a special sesssion. Several Senators who are strongly averse to receiving Pinchback still regard his connection with the case as its least important aspect, and look upon the necessity of action by the Senate in regard to the Kellogg government as so great that the Senate cannot, under the present circumstances, ignore it. The President is also extremely anxious to have definite action, and his friends understand that if Pinchback is received the President will regard it as a full recognition of the Kellogg government by the Senate, and as an indorsement of the entire course of the Executive in regard to Louisiana, and as full authority under which he can continue to uphold him after adjournment.

SPRINGFIELD, February 13.—This has been one of the dullest days of the session of the Twenty-ninth General Assembly. A large majority of the members of both branches had a hankering for the enjoyments of home, and following their inclinations left the city on the early trains, leaving a very small minority to run both Houses The result has been no excitement on any subject, and nothing but routine work was done, and very little of that.

NEW YORK, February 13.—Bessie Turner, summoned as a witness for the defense in the Tilton Beecher trial, is now in Brooklyn, and reports herself as in want and unable to obtain work, owing to the odium resting on her name. Partisans of the defendant, she says, have assisted her by giving her some sewing and copying, but she wants to get away from Brooklyn and out of the whole affair.

CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—A *Times* special says a fire in Anamosa, Iowa, destroyed nine buildings and stores, causing a loss of $15,000.

Specials from various points in the Northwest indicate that the cold weather has not abated. Several Iowa railroads are still blockaded by snow and it is feared disasters will be frequent when the thaw commences.

WASHINGTON, February 13.—Rufus Hatch was before the Ways and Means Committee to-day, and made a long statement, charging that the Pacific Mail Company never authorized Irwin's expenditures in Boston. Irwin was merely their agent, on a salary of $10,000 per annum. Any contrary statement by Irwin was absolutely false.

Whiting is here, ready to testify. Rufus Hatch has instructed Clark Bell, attorney and counsel of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company, to begin proceedings at once to compel all parties who received any part of the money "abstracted" from the company by Stockwell and Irwin to promptly refund.

CHICAGO, Feb. 13.—Elizabeth Cady Stanton stated to the reporter of the *Times*, Mr. Sweetney, that she had not yet been subpœnaed in the Beecher-Tilton case, and that she is now out of New York State and does not intend going back at present. She cannot be subpœnaed.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 14.—The extensive lampblack works of Chas. Eneu Johnson & Co., Penrose, Ferry Road, burned this morning. Fully insured. Owing to the firm's extensive works in the city of Philadelphia, their business will not be interrupted.

A STRANGER'S OPINION OF DECATUR.

We noticed some days ago, the visit to our city of Mr. M. F. Simmons, the editor of the Mexico (Mo.) *Messenger*. In the issue of his paper of the 11th he gives his impressions of Decatur, as follows:

A visit to several of the prominent interior towns of Illinois last week brought to our attention none with a more promising business future than Decatur. It is the Indianapolis of that State. Eleven or more lines of rail road diverge from that point—important lines leading to considerable distances. The effect of so many railroads has been to establish little villages or trading posts at all the stations in all parts of the surrounding country, cutting of a great share of the retail trade. But the people have been wise and enterprising enough not to suffer but to take advantage of this, and to engage in wholesaling and manufacturing. So that, the aggregate of trade is maintained and even increased. Railroads of course create facilities for manufacturing industries, enabling cheap and convenient distribution of wares, and the people of Decatur are disposed to encourage manufactories of every kind. They have a rolling mill, planing mills, sash and door factories, excellent woolen mills, flouring mills, a bagging factory, numerous grain elevators, large furniture factories, boot and shoe factories, etc. These give employment to a large population which is fast increasing in Decatur. Decatur has now some twelve thousand souls, and apparently the high tide of her prosperity is just beginning to rise.

EITHER Woodhull or her biogrrpher has lied most wretchedly. Tilton said he visited Mrs. Woodhull at her home a few times, but didn't remember anything special occurring there on any occasion, and Mrs. Woodhull declares that for months he slept in her arms every night. There evidently is a discrepancy, unless Tilton doesn't consider that sort of thing "anything special."—*Burlington* (Iowa) *Hawkeye*.

A race between the ships America and British Peer for $1,000, to be sailed from San Francisco to Liverpool, is now in progress, and their arrival will be looked for with interest. Both ships sailed from San Francisco on Dec. 8 for Queenstown.

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" White "	.90
FLOUR—white wheat, ℔ hundred	3.50
" red " "	3.00
" superfine, "	2.50
" middlings, "	1.50
CORN MEAL—℔ bushel	.85
RYE—℔ bushel	80
CORN—℔ bushel	55@60
" shelled, per bush.	65
HAY—Timothy, ℔ ton,	12.00
OATS—℔ bushel,	50
BUCKWHEAT—℔ bushel	60
FLAXSEED—℔ bushel	1,60@1.75
TIMOTHY SEED—℔ bushel	3.00
CLOVER SEED— "	7.00
BLUE GRASS— "	2.00
ORCHARD GRASS, "	3.00
REDTOP—	2.50
HUNGARIAN	1.50
BEANS—℔ bushel	2.00
BUTTER—℔ ℔	23@25
EGGS—per doz,	25
LARD—℔ ℔	12@15
BACON—Sides,	10@12
HAMS—sugar-cured,	12@13
SHOULDERS—per ℔	8@10
HOGS—Live, per hundred,	6.00
CATTLE— " " "	3,25@6,00
SHEEP— " per hun., unsheared	3,50@4,00
" " " sheared	
POTATOES—per bu	100
PEACHES—Dried, per ℔	15
APPLES— "	10
" Green ℔ bu.	1.00@1.50
WOOL—Unwashed, light & medium	25@27
" " heavy fine	20@22
" " combing	25@30
" Fleecewash'd, choice	40
" " fine & heavy,	30@35
" Tubwashed, choice	45
" " inferior	40@42
HIDES—Green, ℔ ℔	.06
" Salted cured,	.8
" Calf,	.10
" Dry salt	12
" Dry Flint	14
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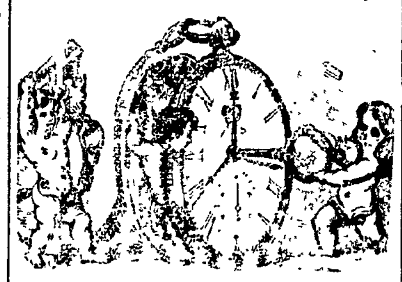

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The Daily Republi[can]

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R. H MERIWE[THER]

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..The offices of the St. Nicholas and Priest's hotels are the favorite loafing places.

There is one removal from town today, at which all good people will rejoice, and a few more removals of the same kind would help the town wonderfully.

..Sugar-cured breakfast bacon at Neidermayer's.

..All who are in want of boots and shoes should call without delay at the well-stocked store of Geo. F. Wessels', where they can find goods of all styles and suited to all ages. Splendid slippers and children's shoes can be had here at astonishingly low prices. Everybody should call at once.

..Mrs. Milligan, the proprietress of the St. James Hotel, has packed up her household furniture and has moved it all away. She found that there was not much profit in keeping a lewd house after she paid all the fines assessed on her by our justices.

..The good sleighing continues, and our merchants are happy, feeling that they will have a large run of country trade so long as the snow remains on the ground.

..The customers of V. Barber & Co., and everybody else that calls, will find on their shelves one of the most complete and choice stocks of boots and shoes to be found in this part of the state. All the latest styles are procured as soon as out, and they are always careful to get no goods upon their hands that are not made of the very best material. Persons wishing slippers or children's shoes, will find a full supply of those goods at this house.

..For choice buckwheat flour go to Imboden & Co's.

..The writer of "A Card," which appeared in the last week's issue of the *Review*, over the signature "Tom Collins," was none other than the veritable John Lindsay himself. What induced him to write the article over a *nom de plume*, and make it appear as a communication? He knew he was telling a falsehood when he said the reporters on the daily papers of Decatur received $1 per head for not publishing the names of the nine "genteel knaves" who were arrested and afterwards forfeited their bonds and refused to come to trial. The names were not published because they could not be obtained, and for no other reason. Mr. Lindsay wrote the article at the instigation of one of his relatives, who, we learn, was one of the nine gamblers, and who was boiling over with indignation because the report of the affair was so "greatly exaggerated."—This is not the first time the editor of the *Review* has written communications for his own paper, and in this back-handed way misrepresent all other newspapers in the city.

..The delivery wagons which run for our grocerymen have been put aside, and sleighs and sleds are put in their places.

..Police magistrates have ample time to call on their friends at present.

..Scores upon scores of valentines of all sorts passed through the postoffice Saturday and to-day.

..Shoddy peddlers are now travelling over the country in every direction.—Our people ought to be on the lookout for them.

..A third ward school boy, on being reproved by his teacher for playing truant, gave as a reason for his course, that he had heard his grandmother say that boys who played truant always made smart men, and he thought that playing truant was his "best holt" for future greatness.

..While the snow and sleighing lasts the livery men are happy, as it is a God-send to their pocket books.

..Be sure and provide yourself with a supply of coal before the roads break up.

..Clearing sidewalks in the ordinary way is impossible; nothing short of nitro glycerine would make any impression on the hard-packed ice.

..It is expected that the I., B. & W. R'y receiver will on the 15th pay up for two months—January and June. Every effort is being made to keep the expenses down, and apply the receipts to the liquidation of the indebtedness.

..Better sleighing was never known in this part of the country, or elsewhere, than we are having at present.

..The railroads are now cleared of snow, so that trains are not obstructed by it.

..Cold as the weather is, Aleck Nebinger was *son*-struck yesterday, the heft of the aforesaid stroke being just exactly a dozen pounds. A good beginning, Aleck.

..The good sleighing of yesterday made the attendance at some of our churches and Sunday schools rather slim.

..The ladies of the Baptist congregation will give their Sociable, with refreshments, on Friday evening of this week without fail. There will be no postponement on account of weather, and everybody is invited.

..There will be preaching in the lecture room of the First M. E. Church this evening, at which time it will be announced whether or not the meetings will be continued any longer.

..Several of the hands usually employed in the railroad repair shops are out of employment, with no immediate prospect of having anything to do.—Some of them who have nothing laid aside to fall back upon, and have families on their hands to support, find themselves in pretty close quarters.

..Early this morning the thermometer stood at 15 degrees below zero.

..A part of the machinery in Sawyers' oil mill broke this morning, and will prevent the running of the mill for several days until the broken machinery can be repaired.

..The days are getting longer, but most people are as "short" as they were in December.

..What in the world are lightning rod agents and sprinkling cart men doing this winter?

..Sutton hoped from every sign
The gift would be a 'bouncing boy,'
But now he claims with equal joy,
A *girl* was meet for *Valentine.*

..The passenger train from the East on the T. W. & W. R'y was three hours late to-day.

The Macon County Poultry Show, which is to open to-morrow in the large store room under the court-house premises, is to be a big thing. Several large lots of poultry from outside the county are to be on exhibition, and our county exhibitors will have to look out for their laurels, or some fellow from a foreign county will bear away the prizes.

H. Post sells genuine Seth Thomas clocks for four dollars.

Lewis & Milligan have a full line of canned and dried fruits of superior quality.

Change of Location.—Prescott & Co., music dealers, are about to remove from their present quarters, over Litsinberger & Sutton's book store, to the room occupied by J. S. Hand, one door west of the post office. At their new quarters they will occupy a part of the first floor, and will open a full stock of instruments and musical merchandise, to which they invite the attention of the public.
feb15d&wtf

County Court resumed work at 1½ o'clock this afternoon. The case of C. E. Conard vs. the Grangers is set for to-day, and will be a trial of considerable interest

THE CHURCHES YESTERDAY.

Attendance at the several places of worship was very good yesterday.

The pastor of the

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

occupied his pulpit both morning and evening, and on the latter occasion preached a very interesting sermon on the existence of angels. The ground taken was that there must be some order of intelligent beings to occupy the intervening space between God and man.

The beings occupying this position are called angels, and the fact of their existence the speaker sought to establish, first, by analogy, and secondly, by what the bible says of the existence and ministration of angels. The discourse was clear and forcible, and elicited the closest attention of the congregation.

AT THE FIRST M. E. CHURCH,

services were held in the lecture room, on account of the difficulty of warming the auditorium on so cold a day as yesterday. This arrangement showed good sense, as the congregation was made entirely comfortable, and the room is good enough for any congregation to worship in. In the morning the pastor preached an able and stirring discourse from the words, "While we look not at the things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen." The main thought of the sermon was that men are influenced and stimulated, both in religious and temporal affairs, by unseen things, more than by those which are seen. This thought was clearly and forcibly elaborated by illustrations drawn from the experience of men, both in the management of their worldly affairs, and in the prosecution of christian life. The discourse occupied about fifty minutes in its delivery, and held the undivided attention of the large congregation.

Services were held at the

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH,

both morning and evening, the pastor officiating on the former occasion and Bishop Dickson on the latter. We have no report of either sermon, further than that we hear them spoken of in terms of commendation.

AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH,

the pastor officiated, and in the evening preached on popular amusements. The views taken of that subject were somewhat liberal, and probably would be considered by most people as a departure from the orthodox standard. The discourse contained many good thoughts and elicited close attention.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

At this church the pulpit was filled morning and evening by the pastor.—The subject of the evening discourse, "The best I can do," was well handled in a sermon of forty minutes' length, which was well spoken of by all who heard it.

AT STAPP'S CHAPEL

Rev. Dr. Stevenson officiated, both morning and evening, and though not fully recovered from his late illness, got through with the services very well.—We hear his discourses well spoken of by those who heard them, but we are not informed as to the subjects treated.

At the

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

services were conducted by the pastor, and we hear the evening sermon on "Across Lots," spoken of as being a very interesting one.

AT THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH

the usual services were held at 10½ A. M., and children's service at 2½ P. M. In the morning the rector, Rev. W. W. DeWolf, preached an excellent sermon from the 49th verse of the 16th chapter of St. Mark; subject, the restoration of sight to Bartimeus at Jericho. He dwelt upon the efficacy of prayer when accompanied by true faith, as illustrated in this case; and of the necessity of our ever calling promptly and with faith upon the Lord in all our trials and temptations. The sermon throughout was practical, and one from which Christians could gain renewed strength for the battle of life. In the afternoon the rector catechised the children, and gave a short lecture full of interesting thoughts for the little ones. The answers given by the scholars to the questions were in the main prompt and correct.

Caught in His Own Trap.—On Saturday a farmer came to town with an extemporized sleigh, upon which he had placed a dry goods box in which to ride. As he started from the old square to go home, a lot of boys piled on to his sled to have a little ride. The farmer thought he would play a little joke on the boys, and with that object in view, started his horses into a brisk trot, and when he got as far west as the United States Express office, he made a sudden turn with his team, thinking thereby to dump the boys into the street. Instead of this, however, the dry goods box, in which he was sitting, tipped off from the sled, dumping the farmer into the street, and leaving the boys in possession of the team. A large crowd of men and boys soon gathered to witness the sport, and the farmer acknowledged that the joke was decidedly on him.

For Mayor.—The ice has been broken at last, and we have now a candidate for mayor in the person of Major R. H. Meriweather, who is announced to-day. Major M. needs no introduction at our hands, having resided here many years, and being favorably known to our citizens. To say that he is not only eminently qualified, but in every respect trustworthy, is merely to state what everybody knows to be true, and that he would make a popular and efficient officer, is a fact that nobody who knows him will doubt for a moment.

Pike, the Jeweler, is agent for the sale of the best brands of American watches

PERSONAL MENTION.

J. W. Race, Esq., left for Attica, Ind., this noon. He will return in a day or two.

Among the registered guests at the St. Nicholas Hotel are the following.

Geo. T. Bunn, Indianapolis; T Golling, Chicago; P G Freeman, Philadelphia; W M Timberlake, Cincinnati; W W Hill, Warrensburg; S F Miller, Chicago; B B Cook, New York; John Leopold, do; J S Barber, Bloomington; Geo Riebsame, city; Chas McLaughlin, do; A C Elder, Kinney; W E Park, Galveston, Texas; J W Robinson, St. Paul; C R Sargent, Quincy; Fred Mayo, St. Louis.

Dr. O'Leary's Lecture to Men on Saturday evening was well attended, and was replete with suggestions of the highest importance. This evening he lectures to ladies only, though the Dr. remarked at the close of his lecture on Saturday evening that any gentlemen who wished to accompany their wives might feel free to do so, as he would be pleased to have them hear what he had to say.

Fast Driving.—The splendid sleighing we are having at present, furnishes a strong temptation to persons who are out with their teams to indulge in fast driving. Especially when two spirited teams are going the same way, one is very apt to try to pass the other. Now such practices in the business part of the city are very dangerous, and several persons have come near being run over today by teams that were being driven at a rapid gait. In some instances, also, teams have come near running into each other. The ordinance against fast driving should be strictly enforced by the police, otherwise somebody's bones will be broken, and vehicles will be smashed.

Runaway.—A team of horses attached to a large sled became frightened last night, and turning a corner rather suddenly the sled was inverted, and about a dozen of its occupants were thrown out. The driver kept a hold on the reins, and, although dragged some distance, he stopped the team. All the party were called together, and it was found that no one had been hurt, though all were badly scared.

MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's mother, in Maroa, on Sunday, Feb. 7th, by Rev. W. W. Williams, MR. WM. R. FERGUSON and MISS CATHARINE GRADY, both of Maroa.

Strayed, from the premises of the subscriber, in Decatur, Saturday Feb. 6th, a light roan cow, three years old; rather small in size; horns short and drooping, and point towards each other. Was dry when she went away. A suitable reward will be paid for her return.
15-d&w1w JOHN A. BOHRER.

The Assembly, which was to have been given by Professor Moll on last Wednesday evening will be held on Tuesday evening of this week.

A New Agency.—Mr. Edward C. Bassey has the agency for the celebrated VICTOR SEWING MACHINE, which is acknowledged to be the best in the market; and also for the "Novelty" Door Plate, which is the cheapest and best in use. He also represents the Hamburg line of steamships, which in the matter of safety and dispatch are known to be equal to any that cross the ocean. Mr. Bassey has his office at Ehrman's Clothing Store, on East Main street, where samples of machines and door plates may be seen. Prompt attention will be given to all orders in either line of business indicated above.
Jan. 14-d&w3m

Mules for Sale.—Any persons wishing to buy nice three and four years old mules, will consult their interest by calling at the residence of T. W. Berry, Esq., about eight miles northeast of town. jan.30,'75-d&wtf.

R. Ireland, brick-layer and contractor, No. 32 Morgan street, Decatur, Ill., will attend promptly to all job work in his line. [Fed. 4d3w

Found—in the city, three promissory notes, one signed by John Porter, one by T. J. Morrison, and one by Charles Mitchell. The owner can have the same by calling at this office and paying for this advertisement. jan12dtf

Pike, the Jeweler, keeps the best Spectacles in the city, and sells them at a reasonable price. [sept 1-d1m

Change.—J. S. Hand & Co., having bought out the interest of A. M. Lapham in the Post Office Book Store, will continue the business at the same place, and will be pleased to retain the custom of the old patrons of the house, as well as to secure a fair share of the patronage of the public generally. A full stock of books, pictures, periodicals, stationery, etc., always on hand.
21-d3d

Powers, Ferriss & Co. have received a splendid lot of Burt's Men's Shoes and Over-gaiters. They are also making men's fine hand-sewed shoes to measure.
10-dtf

Wanted,—A good girl to do the work of a small family. Light work and good wages. Enquire at this office. [11-dtf

Great Reduction in Prices!—$150 will buy a fine, new Top Buggy. Call and see for yourself, at store room next to Eclipse Livery Stable, West Main street. [Jan. 28-d&wtf

POISONED TO DEATH.

A healthy liver secretes each day about two and a half pounds of bile, which contains a great amount of waste material taken from the blood. When the liver becomes torpid or congested, it fails to eliminate this vast amount of noxious substance, which, therefore, remains to poison the blood and be conveyed to every part of the system. What must be the condition of the blood when it is receiving and retaining each day two and a half pounds of poison? Nature tries to work off this poison through other channels and organs—the kidneys, lungs, skin, etc.; but these organs become overtaxed in performing this labor, in addition to their natural functions, and cannot long withstand the pressure, but become variously diseased.

The brain, which is the great electrical centre of all vitality, is unduly stimulated by the unhealthy blood which passes to it from the heart, and it fails to perform its office healthfully. Hence the symptoms of bile poisoning, which are dullness, headache, incapacity to keep the mind on any subject, impairment of memory, dizzy, sleepy or nervous feelings, gloomy forebodings and irritability of temper. The *blood itself* being diseased, as it forms the sweat upon the surface of the skin, is so irritating and poisonous that it produces discolored brown spots, pimples, blotches and other eruptions, sores, boils, carbuncles and scrofulous tumors. The stomach, bowels, and other organs spoken of, cannot escape becoming affected, sooner or later, and costiveness, piles, dropsy, dyspepsia, diarrhœa, female weakness, and many other forms of chronic disease, are among the necessary results. As a remedy for all these manifestations of disease, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery with small daily doses of his Pleasant Purgative Pellets are positively unequalled. By them the liver and stomach are changed to an active and healthy state, the appetite regulated and restored, the blood and secretions thoroughly purified and enriched, and the whole system renovated and built up anew. Sold by all first-class druggists and dealers in medicine.
Feb. 10-d1weod w1t

To Aggravate Dyspepsia introduce alcohol into the stomach, and thereby rob the digestive fluid of its solvent power. Saturate a piece of bread and meat with gastric juice, and it *will dissolve.* This is digestion. Add to such a mixture a little alcohol, and it will *not dissolve.* This illustrates *indigestion.* Beware, then, ye dyspeptics, of tinctures, infusions or decoctions containing spirituous liquors. Shun all such rum "tonics," and rely solely on Dr. Walker's Vinegar Bitters, the finest herbal invigorant known, and free from the fiery curse of alcohol. jan26-4w

THE RUSH TO KANSAS AND COLORADO.

The indications are that the rush to Kansas and Colorado will be greater than ever in 1874. The shortest way to reach the Far West is through St. Louis, the great Mississippi-Valley City, of over 450,000 inhabitants, and thence west over the St. Louis, Kansas City and Northern Short Line, which reaches all the great land grants in the West, and runs six fast Express trains, two more than any other road, between the Mississippi and Missouri Rivers. This road, in the last two years, has expended over two million dollars, besides earnings, in extraordinary improvement of roadway, in relaying its line with best quality of new steel and iron rails, on broad, new ties, and in passenger equipment, having substituted for ordinary cars new reclining chair coaches, with every appliance for comfort and safety, being elegantly carpeted and fitted with dressing rooms, with toilet conveniences for ladies, gentlemen and families travelling with children, *free of any extra charge.* Any ticket agent selling through tickets to the West will furnish tickets by this excellent route through St. Louis, over the St. Louis, Kansas City and Northern Short Line, the best and shortest to Kansas, Colorado, Nebraska, California and the Great West, it being the only line running through cars between St. Louis and Omaha. For map, circulars and time-tables address either F. A. Palmer, Indianapolis, Ind.; or P. B. Groat, St. Louis, Mo., either of whom will furnish any information desired. [jan 8wtf

Excursion Tickets from Quincy to Denver, Colorado.

For the benefit of health and pleasure seekers, and all those wishing to "*Go West,*" the "Old Reliable" Hannibal and St. Joseph "Short Line" have placed on sale round trip tickets, from Quincy to Denver and return, good for three months from date of issue, at *greatly reduced prices.*

This popular Route is acknowledged by all to be the best equipped and best managed road west of the Mississippi River—running the finest Parlor Cars in the world on all day express trains, and Pullman's Palace Drawing Room Sleeping Cars on all night trains.

All express trains are equipped with the Westinghouse Patent Air Brake and Miller Patent Safety Platform and Coupler.

The track is in the best possible condition, a large portion of it having recently been re-laid with STEEL RAILS. Iron and stone bridges have taken the place of wood, and all other improvements conducive to the safety and comfort of its patrons have been adopted.

For any further information in regard to rates, time, etc., please apply to
E. A. PARKER, Gen. Pass. Ag't,
H. & St. Jo R. R., Hannibal, Mo.

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Onions, per peck	$ 50
Dressed Chickens, per dozen	3.00
" Turkey, " pound	21½
Turkeys, live, " "	8
Rabbits, apiece	10@.15
Apples, per bushel	1.20@1.40
Potatoes, " "	1.00
Cabbage, " head	.10@.20
Butternuts, per bushel	1.00
Hickory Nuts, " "	2.00
Walnuts, " "	1.50
Cider, per gallon	.50
Vinegar, " "	.40
Eggs, " dozen	.30
Butter, packed, per pound	.25
" fresh, " "	.30

Brick Yard for Sale

THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS FOR sale his Brick Yard, situated just west of the city limits.
For particulars enquire of the undersigned.
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Executor's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the undersigned Executors of the estate of Isaac C Pugh, deceased, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the county court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 15th day of March, A. D., 1875, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

ELVIRA F. PUGH,
J. R. GORIN,
Executors.

jan13-16w

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned Administrator of the estate of Simon Christen, deceased, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 15th day of March, A. D. 1875, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

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BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER and decree of the county court of Macon county, Illinois, made on the petition of the undersigned, Christian H. Garver, executor of the estate of Charles Zeigler, deceased, for leave to sell the real estate of said deceased to pay debts, at the January term, A. D. 1875, of said court, to-wit: on the 19th day of January, 1875, I shall, on

Monday, the 1st day of March, A. D. 1875,

between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon of said day, sell at public sale, at the residence of the late Charles Zeigler, lately deceased, in Whitmore township, the same being upon the premises hereinafter described, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit:

The northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section twenty-one (21), in township seventeen (17) north, range three (3) east of third P. M.

Also, a part of the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section thirty-three (33), in township seventeen (17) north, range three (3) east of the third P. M., commencing at the southwest corner of said northwest quarter, thence running east ten (10) chains and nine and a half (9½) links, to a stone; thence north nine (9) chains and ninety (90) links, to a stone; thence west ten (10) chains and twelve (12) links, to a stone; thence south nine (9) chains and ninety (99) links, to a stone, and place of beginning, subject to a mortgage in favor of Thomas Brooks, recorded in the recorder's office of Macon county, Illinois, in book 13, page 98, on the following terms, to-wit:

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CHRISTIAN H GARVER
Executor of the Estate of Charles Zeigler, deceased.

January 22, 1875-d1w.

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY. }

In the Circuit Court, December Term, 1874.
David Bennett vs. Charles Birmingham, Nancy Birmingham, John G. Jimison, Jered Jimison, and John Jimison,—bill to foreclose a mortgage.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of a decree rendered in the above entitled cause at the December term A. D. 1874, of the Circuit Court, within and for the County of Macon, and State of Illinois, the undersigned will sell on

Wednesday, the 3d day of March, 1875,

between the hours of nine o'clock, a. m., and sunset of same day, at the west door of the Court House in the city of Decatur, Illinois, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the following described property to-wit:

The east half of the northwest quarter, the west half of the southeast quarter, the east half of the southwest quarter of section four (4), township eighteen (18) north, range three (3) east of the third principal meridian.

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J. A. BROWN,
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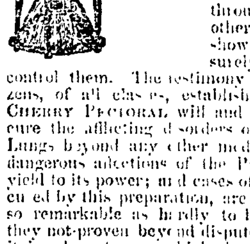

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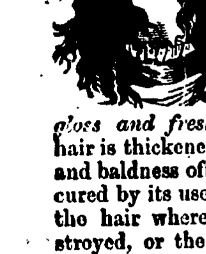

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